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CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

▼ WAIVER REQUEST□ RECONSIDERATION REQUEST

DATE: 6/1/2021 DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Les Femmes PAC

Office: Parish:

Election Date: 11/3/2020 Level of Office: PAC 4905 Freet Street New Orleans, LA 70115

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: 40-G

Original Due Date: 1/14/2021 Date Filed: 1/21/2021 Activity Receipts: \$352.62

Expenditures: \$5.50

Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$1,967.22

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1,400

Days Late: 7

Late Fee Order Received: 3/4/2021

Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 3/24/2021

Waiver Request Received: 3/16/2021 Additional Information Requested:

- Medical

- Financial

- Other

COMMENTS: Waiver request was submitted by William Vanderbrook the treasurer and he states that Les Femmes PAC supported a candidate in the primary election however did not support this candidate in the general election. He states that the only form of support was a contribution check for \$500 written on 4/30/2020. He said that since the PAC did not participate in the General Election it was not required to file a 40-G and is not subject to a late filing penalty. He further states that the Annual report was filed timely and covered the appropriate period 11/16-12/31/2020.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: No Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

Vanderbrook and Co., LLC

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

WILLIAM VANDERBROOK, CPA AMANDA LADEGAILLERIE, CPA

March 16, 2021

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Re: Les Femmes PAC (late fee assessment for November 3, 2020 election)

Ethics Adjudicatory Board,

This letter is response to your certified letter dated March 2, 2021 assessing a late fee of \$1,400 for the 40-G campaign finance report. Les Femmes Pac supported a candidate in the primary election (November 3, 2020) however did not support this candidate in the general election (December 5, 2020). The only form of support for this candidate was a contribution check for \$500 written on April 30, 2020. Since Le Femmes Pac did not participate in the general election, it was not required to file a 40-G campaign report and thus not subject to a late filing penalty. The annual report was filed timely and covered the appropriate period (November 16 through December 31, 2020).

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

William Vanderbrook, Treasurer

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